

### ABSTRACT

The use of an improved method for freeze concentration is disclosed. The method provides for first freezing components of a pulpy slurry of *Morinda citrifolia*. More dilute components are extracted after the initial freezing. A secondary freezing process at a lower temperature allows more concentrated portions of a *Morinda citrifolia* slurry to be removed. Flavor and therapeutic oils remain in the resulting concentrate for improved flavor and health benefits.

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